

STATEMENT OF THE CLAIMS

1. (currently amended) A foot mobility device, comprising:

a base;

a foot rest hingedly coupled to the base, said foot rest having a bottom portion and a top portion separated from and opposite said bottom portion;

an inflatable lifting bladder located between the base and the foot rest, said lifting bladder, when inflated, causing said foot rest to rotate relative to said base;

~~at least one~~ a plurality of foot massage bladders coupled to the foot rest including at least one bladder located on said top portion and at least one bladder located on said bottom portion; and

a pressure source selectively coupled to each of the bladders.

2. (currently amended) A foot mobility device according to claim 1, further comprising:

a massage sock coupled to said foot rest, said plurality of foot massage bladders being contained within said massage sock.

3. (original) A foot mobility device according to claim 2, wherein:

said massage sock includes a zipper.

4. (currently amended) A foot mobility device according to claim 1, wherein:

said foot rest includes a heel portion coupling said bottom portion and said top portion, and

said plurality of foot massage bladders includes ~~a plurality of massage bladders~~ at least one bladder located on said heel portion.

5. (currently amended) A foot mobility device according to claim [[4]] 2, wherein:
said plurality of massage bladders includes at least one heel massage bladder, at least one instep massage bladder located on said top portion, and at least one sole massage bladder located on said bottom portion.
6. (original) A foot mobility device according to claim 1, further comprising:
means for individually inflating and deflating each of said bladders.
7. (original) A foot mobility device according to claim 4, further comprising:
means for individually inflating and deflating each of said bladders.
8. (original) A foot mobility device according to claim 5, further comprising:
means for individually inflating and deflating each of said bladders.
9. (original) A foot mobility device according to claim 1, further comprising:
a plurality of electrically operated valves, wherein
said pressure source is selectively coupled to said bladders via said valves.
10. (original) A foot mobility device according to claim 9, further comprising:
a plurality of pressure sensors corresponding in number to said bladders, each pressure sensor coupled to a corresponding bladder.
11. (original) A foot mobility device according to claim 10, further comprising:
a control circuit coupled to said valves and said pressure sensors.

12. (currently amended) A foot mobility device, comprising:

a base;

a foot rest hingedly coupled to the base, said foot rest having a bottom portion and a top portion opposite said bottom portion;;

lifting means located between the base and the foot rest for raising and lowering said foot rest relative to said base;

~~at least one~~ a plurality of foot massage bladders coupled to the foot rest including at least one bladder located on said top portion and at least one bladder located on said bottom portion; and

a pressure source selectively coupled to each of the at least one massage bladders.

13. (currently amended) A foot mobility device according to claim 12, further comprising:

a massage sock coupled to said foot rest, said plurality of foot massage bladders being contained within said massage sock.

14. (original) A foot mobility device according to claim 13, wherein:

said massage sock includes a zipper.

15. (currently amended) A foot mobility device according to claim 12, wherein:

said foot rest includes a heel portion coupling said bottom portion and said top portion, and

said plurality of foot massage bladders includes ~~a plurality of massage bladders at~~ least one bladder located on said heel portion.

16. (currently amended) A foot mobility device according to claim 15, wherein:
said plurality of massage bladders includes ~~at least one heel massage bladder~~, at least one instep massage bladder located on said top portion, and at least one sole massage bladder located on said bottom portion.
17. (currently amended) A foot mobility device according to claim ~~15~~ 13, further comprising:
means for individually inflating and deflating each of said bladders.
18. (original) A foot mobility device according to claim 16, further comprising:
means for individually inflating and deflating each of said bladders.
19. (currently amended) A foot mobility device according to claim ~~15~~ 12, further comprising:
a plurality of electrically operated valves, wherein
said pressure source is selectively coupled to said bladders via said valves.
20. (original) A foot mobility device according to claim 19, further comprising:
a plurality of pressure sensors corresponding in number to said bladders, each pressure sensor coupled to a corresponding bladder.
21. (original) A foot mobility device according to claim 20, further comprising:
a control circuit coupled to said valves and said pressure sensors.